

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
VALDOSTA DIVISION**

WILLIAM SIPPLEN, SR.,	:	
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Petitioner	:	
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VS.	:	
	:	CIVIL NO. 7:14-CV-0072-HL
Commissioner BRIAN OWENS,	:	
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Respondent	:	

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Petitioner William Sipplen, Sr. seeks to appeal this Court's denial of his Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus and has filed a Motion for Leave to Proceed *in forma pauperis* on Appeal (ECF No. 21). Petitioner's Motion is **MOOT**, as he has been denied a Certificate of Appealability. Order, May 26, 2015, ECF No. 16. *See also* 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c). Petitioner's Motion to Proceed *in forma pauperis* on Appeal is therefore **DENIED**.

SO ORDERED, this 14th day of July, 2015.

s/ Hugh Lawson
HUGH LAWSON, SENIOR JUDGE